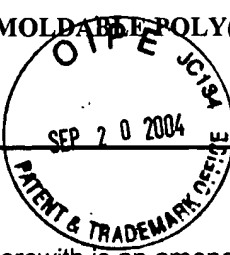
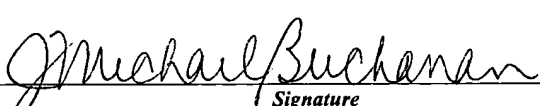



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**AMENDMENT**

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This is a response to the non-final Office Action dated August 24, 2004. It is submitted in accordance with the Revised Amendment Format according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, effective July 30, 2003.

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### **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Claims 1-39 are pending in the present application. Claim 29-32, 36, and 37 have been canceled without prejudice, and claims 12, 13, 18, 19, and 22 have been amended, leaving claims 1-28, 33-35, 38, and 39 for consideration upon entry of the present Amendment. The claims have been amended as explained in the Remarks section. No new matter has been introduced by these amendments. Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and the following remarks.